

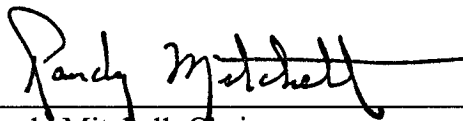
IN RE: Request for Extended Area from Bluffton/Sun) ORDER GRANTING
City Hilton Head Area to Hilton Head Island) AND DENYING
) CONFIDENTIALITY IN
) PART

The incremental per line costs required to provide Extended Area Calling shall not be accorded confidential treatment, because of their public nature. All other materials should be afforded confidential treatment as requested.

However, this ruling shall hereby be delayed for two weeks from the date of the Commission's oral decision on this matter on January 10, 2006, in order to allow the parties time to brief the Commission if they want to provide further support for according confidential treatment to the incremental per line costs. If no such briefing is received by January 24, 2006, the Staff will implement this ruling such that all other materials will be accorded confidential treatment as requested, with the exception of the incremental per line costs required to provide Extended Area Calling.

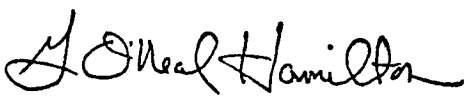
This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



Randy Mitchell, Chairman

ATTEST:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice-Chairman

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